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(General Serial No. 31.)

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S. P. 2—83-84

From Messrs Davey Inuddupper & Co Govt Abbey Contractors Ashtagram Dt

To

No. 1

Dated 24th November 83

Despatched

Received

Enclosures No.

General No. 373

No.

Requests orders as to the rates at which Toddy should be sold in different places

No. 373 (6)

Messrs. Dany Ecoddappa & Co.
Govt. Abkary Contractors
Ashtagram Division.

To

The Secretary,
to the Dewan.
of H. H. the Maharaja
of Mysore.

Sir.

As there appears to be some Doubt as to the rates at which Toddy should be sold in different places we should be glad to get your orders on the subject.-

In the present Contract bond the prices are fixed as follows:-

Prices per Seer.								
	Maximum			Minimum			Rakers.	
	Rs	as	P	Rs	as	P	Rs	as P.
In the Town of Mysore	"	1	"	"	"	8	"	" 5.
" Kasabas of Taluks	"	"	9.	"	"	6		
" Villages	"	"	6	"	"	4		

SERIAL No
FILE No
SECTION

whereas formerly there was only a minimum fixed.-

Hitherto as a matter of fact the

prices ruling have been those in force for years past, varying according to the distance the Toddy has to be carried, and other circumstances of which the Contractor is supposed to be the best Judge.—

If it can not in any way effect Govt there can be no object, so far as we can see, in putting any restriction on the prices, for the Contractor's interest and those of the people are identical, he will take good care not to raise it above a certain point or allow it to drop below a certain figure!

We would therefore most respectfully beg that the Incamool rates i.e. (those hitherto in force) may be permitted to exist.

The question has arisen from the Darogah reporting that in certain places the rates in force, which are in every case Incamool, do not always agree with those laid down in the bond.

We have the honor to be

Sirs

Your most obed! Servants.

James Workman

24th November 1883.

Bagsone

Allen 13/11/83

(General Serial No. 31.)

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SECTION 5. 12.

From

FILE No. 2 – 1882-84.

SERIAL No. 2

To Mess.rs Davy

Moodappa & Co.

Mysore

Dated 2/5 Dec.

Despatched –

Received

Enclosures No.

General No. 4866

No. 183

Mess.rs Davy Moo-
dappa & Co's letter
No 3 dy 2nd Nov 83
respecting orders on
the subject of the
rates at which Toddy
should be rad at
different places.

With reference to
the above has the
honor to report
that the usual Mamool
rates may be date
d from how many
years they are in
force. I Byadgi

Yrs
13/12/83 Asst.

(General Serial No. 31.)

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FILE No. 2-1883-84

SERIAL No. 3

188 . 7078 JAN 84 147 MYSORE.

From Mepro Davy Hoodaspa Esq
Govt Abkary Contractors
Adelagram Dist

To

Subscribed.

The correspondence shows that the prices fixed in the contract and are not attended & that is to say the terms are broken with impunity.

Mr Davy's argument that the contractor is the best judge as to prices and his interests & those of the drinking public are identical is not of much value as the trend of toddy is a monopoly.

This is one of the points to be kept in view in the renewal of the license.

Dated 19th

Despatched December.

Received

Enclosures No.

General No. 386.
No.

Re.

Rates for the sale of Toddy —

Mysore

386.

OFFICE OF THE
7 JAN 1884
DEWAN OF MYSORE.

(8)

Messrs Dany Timmadappa & Co
Govt Abkary Contractors
Ashtagram Dt

To

The Dewan
of H H the Maharaja
of Mysore.

Sir.

In answer to your questions "what are the usual rates at which Toddy is sold, and from how many years they are in force" contained in your docket No 4866/183 15th December 1883, we beg to have the honor to state that in the year 1875 an alteration took place, permitting the Contractors to sell toddy for not less than In towns & Kasbas of Taloks — 12 annas. In all villages — 8 annas. thereby permitting the Contractors to raise the rates as might be considered expedient.

As there is now a maximum price fixed, it is found that in many places it does not agree with the rates in force since 1875, hence the reason of our respectfully requesting you will be so good as to permit the above rates to be in force as had,

seen the case since that year.

We have the honor to be

Sir

Your most obd.t Servants.

19th December
1883
Mysore

Davy Markapah & Co

№ 420

8 (a)

From Messrs Davy Muddappa & Co
Govt Abkari Contractors
Mysore
27-3-84

SECTION S. R.
FILE No. 2-1883-84
SERIAL No. 4

To

The Dewan
to H. H. the Maharaja of
Mysore.

Sir

We beg to have the honor to request you will kindly take into your consideration the question of the "retail selling rates" of Toddy.

I At present, and for some time past, (since we think 1875) Maximum and Minimum rates have been fixed for each Town, and Kasabas of Taluks, and villages of each District, but it is utterly impossible for us to insist on these rates being adhered to in the District, and as a matter of fact there is a manual rate which has been the accepted price by the people for years past at each Shop, and any deviation in the way of enhanced prices would be certain to cause complaints from them to the authorities. But as things exist now there are great opportunities for oppression on the part of petty Officials who come down

down on the poor unsuspecting Toddy sellers and run them in, or, complain against them to the District Officer for selling Toddy at unauthorised rates.

(2) As the Toddy contracts are simply a sale by Government to private individuals of certain exclusive rights, called a Monopoly on the payment of a lump sum annually, it surely might be left to the discretion of the contractors as to the prices they should charge. They are not likely to charge excessive rates or their sales will decrease, and illicit sales would become common and frequent, and they could not charge too low a price, as they must charge sufficiently, not only to indemnify themselves from loss, but to make some profit out of it.

(3) As a matter of fact it is impossible for Govt to fix rates for each locality in which Toddy is sold, and in justice to the contractors they should be allowed the the privilege of fixing the prices according to whether the supply has to be brought from a longer or shorter distance, and other circumstances. In actual practice we believe there would be little or no alteration in the existing maximum rates, and it would relieve that very poor and dependent part of the population from the oppression of petty Officials who have lately brought this prominently

prominently before our notice, showing unusual activity by burning frequent complaints to the District Officer.

Bakers.

- This class of traders has hitherto been priviledged at the contractors expense by being permitted to purchase Toddy at lower rates than the public, but on what grounds we do not at all know. In Bangalore where this class is very numerous it becomes a serious matter to the contractor whether the bakers are allowed to buy Toddy at one anna, or 1 anna and 6 pice per seer.

II By permitting this it gives the Bakers an opportunity of Obtaining Toddy for purposes other than bread making — and practically it is next door to impossible to have sufficient check over them so as to prevent it.

III The difference in the price per seer would make no difference whatever in the price of a loaf of bread, the benefit is to the Baker not to the consumer, for whom no doubt it was originally intended.

: Perhaps in days now long gone, by the Govt may have been justified in granting such a concession to the Bakers at the expense of the Toddy contractors, but now in

on these days of keen competition and enhanced rents of the farms when the contractors have to carefully watch for every pie to endeavour to make both ends meet we most respectfully submit it is not just that this should be continued, and from conversations we have had both with the late Dewan and Commissioner, we venture to think the time has now arrived when an alteration in these matters should be made.

We have the honor to be,
Sir
Your most obdt Servants

Mysore
2nd March
1881

Darcy Wilson & Co

(General Serial No. 31.)

OFFICE OF THE
424
21 APR. 84
12
MYSORE

1884

From

Messrs Davey Muddappa & Co
Govt Abkary Contractors

SECTION S. R.

FILE No. 2-1883-84 (To)

SERIAL No. 5

Dated 18th April

Despatched

Received

Enclosures No. /

~~*General*~~ *No.* 431
~~No.~~

Soliciting early orders regarding the retail rates for selling toddy.

No 431.

From

Messrs Davey Muddappa &
Govt Abkary Contractors

Please put up a memorandum
To

The Secretary
to the Dewan
Bangalore.

Sir

Trust reply

With reference to our letter No 420 of the
March 1884, we have the honor to enclose
for your information a copy of a Canara
gadast No 8 of the 2nd inst (received to-day
(18th inst) regarding the retail rate
for selling Toddy.

We only ask that the rates which have b
in force almost from time immemorial m
be permitted to continue, but this you will s
the Deputy Commissioner will not allow.

As shown in the letter above mention
it must be manifest to anyone that rat
applicable to one place should not ——
necessarily be in force in another.

We have very great difficulty in collecting
rents as it is to meet the Govt demands
d if hampered by Rules, which possibly
ay be more honoured in the breach than
servance, our work will become more
ficult still. On neither public or private
ounds are such Rules required, and
trust you will be pleased to take this
estion up at the earliest opportunity
as to put a stop to those complaints
ich until lately have been unheard of.

We have the honor to be
Sir
your most obdt Servants

Wm Wood & Sons

Lytton
April
1882

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[illegible]

(General Serial No. 31.)

1884.

From

SECTION S.R.

FILE NO. 2-1883-84

SERIAL NO. 6

To

Messrs Davy Muddappa & Co.
Toddy Contractors of the
Mysore District.

Dated 28th April

Despatched —

Received

Enclosures No.

General No. 689

No. 21

Their letter No 431 of 18th Instant,
soliciting orders regarding the retail
rates for selling Toddy.

Requests to be furnished with
a copy of letter No 420 of 27th ultimo,
alluded to in the communication
under reference, as the same is
not forth coming in this Office.

~~The subject of the reference should~~
be clearly stated.

"By Order"

Under Secretary

(General Serial No. 31.)

1884.

OFFICE OF THE
709
2-MAY.84
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NEWMAN MISSOURI

From

TION C P Mess Davy Hunsdon & Co
Alderley Contractors

E No. 2 (1883-849)
To

AL No. 7

Dated 1st May

Despatched

Received

Enclosures No.

General No. 435
No.

Forwarding copy of their letter No 420 of 27th March last regarding the retail rates of tallow

Sir,

The former correspondence on the subject, ending with No 386 of 19/12/84 from Messrs Davy Hunsdon & Co, was submitted to Secretary on 17th inst. As the papers are not found in the Secretary's room, the Municipal records that they may have been submitted to the Dewan of ——— and

Secretary

I may now peruse the papers on this subject as well as Bakers [illegible] & take notes if the papers are required by

№ 435

From

Messrs Davy Muddappa & Co
Govt Abkary Contractors

To

The Secretary
to the Dewan
Bangalore

Sir

In compliance with the request contained in your letter No 689/21 of the 28th ultimo we have the honor to enclose a copy of our letter No 426 of the 27th March and trust it may receive your earliest consideration

We have the honor to be

Mysore
1st May
1884

your most obdt servants

Davy Muddappa & Co

№ 420

From

Messrs Davy Ruddapa & Co
Govt Abkary Contractors

To

The Dewan
to H H the Maharaja of
Mysore

Sir

We beg to have the honor to request you will kindly take into your Consideration the question of the "Retail selling rates of Toddy" I At present, and for some time past, (since we think 1875) Maximum and Minimum rates have been fixed for each Town, and the Kasabas of Taluks, and villages of each District but it is utterly impossible for us to insist on these rates being adhered to in this District, and as a matter of fact there is a manul rate which has been the accepted price by the people for years past at each Shop, and any deviation in the way of enhanced prices would be certain to cause complaints from them to the Authorities, But as things exist now there are great Opportunities for Oppression on the part of petty Officials, who come down on the poor unsuspecting Toddy Sellers, and fine them in or complain against them to the District Officer for selling Toddy at unauthorised rates

(2) As the Toddy Contractors are simply a sale by Govt to private individuals of certain exclusive rights called & manapally on the payment of a sum down annually, it surely might be left to the discretion of the Contractors as to the prices they should charge, They are not likely to charge excessive rates or their sales will decrease, and illicit sales would become common and frequent, and they could not charge too low a price as they must charge sufficiently, not only to indemnify themselves from loss, but to make some profit out of it.

(3) As a matter of fact it is impossible for Govt to fix Rates for each locality in which Toddy is sold, and in justice to the Contractor they should be allowed the privilege of fixing the prices according to whether the supply has to be brought from a longer or shorter distance, and other circumstances. In actual practice we believe there would be little or no alteration on the existing manual rates, and it would relieve that very poor and dependent part of the population from the oppression of petty officials, who have lately brought this prominently before our notice, showing unusual activity by bringing frequent complaints to the District Officer.

Bakers.

I This class of Traders has hitherto been

priveleged at the Contractor's expence by being permitted to purchase Toddy at lower rates than the public, but on what grounds we do not at all know, In Bangalore where this class is very numerous it becomes a serious matter to the Contractor whether the bakers are allowed to buy Toddy at 1/an as an anna and 6 pice per seer.

(II) By permitting this it gives the bakers an opportunity of obtaining Toddy for purposes other than bread making. and practically it is next door to impossible to have sufficient check over them, so as to prevent it.

III The difference in the price per seer would make no difference whatever in the price of a loaf of bread, the benefit is to the Baker not to the Consumer, for whom no doubt it was originally intended.

IV Perhaps in days now long gone by the Govt may have been justified in granting such a concession to the Bakers at the expence of the Toddy Contractors, but now in these days of keen competition and enhanced rent of the farms when the Contractors have to carefully watch for every pice to endeavour to make both ends meet, We most respectfully submit it is not just that this should be continued and from conversations we have had both with the late Dewan and yourself we venture to think the time has now arrived

a trifling alteration in these matters should be made.

Dyaour
17th March
1884

We have the honor to be
Sir
Your most obdt servant
(sign'd) Dany Hunddappa & Co.

(General Serial No. 31.)

1884.

From S.A. Revenue

FILED No. 2 (1883-84)

SERVED No. To 8

Dated 5th June

Despatched

Received

Enclosures No.

General No. 145-4-60

No. 11

asking for information
regarding retail selling
rate of tobacco.

Final Letter Issued

R.T. 6/6/84

Papers not traced-
26/84

A: 1454-60 / 31 g 3. 6. 84

Read Letters from Messrs Davy Muddappa and Co, Toddy Contractors, dated 24th Nov. 1883, 19th Dec. 1883, and 27th March 1884, regarding the retail selling rates of Toddy.

Order thereon:-

As the sale of Toddy is a monopoly, it is necessary in principle that Govt. should fix a maximum price so as to protect the consumer from the demand of excessive prices. It is stated by Messrs Davy, Muddappa & Co that the actual selling prices now are beyond the maxima and minima rates fixed by Contract. This is objectionable, but at the same time, the Dewan has no doubt that the actual rates prevailing

are fair and proper.

1. Messrs Davy Kuddappa & Co. will under these circumstances be requested at once to specify the various Manúl rates which prevail - On receipt of this information, the maxima & minima rates will be so fixed as to cover all existing Manúl rates which may appear unobjectionable.

2. As regards the town of Mysore, the lower price ~~[illegible]~~ fixed for the benefit of Bakers is cancelled, but sales to bakers should be strictly within the maximum and minimum rates fixed for that Town.

3. As the Toddy Revenue of the Civil & Military Station of Bangalore has to be paid to the Resident's Treasury his sanction has been requested for the introduction of

a similar arrangement
into the station ~~as~~ will be
immediately.

Yours

Secty.

To. Messrs Davy Muddappa & Co.,
Rod Contractors;
Bangalore

Copy to Dy. Comrs. for info.

1884.

GOVERNMENT OF MYSORE.

REVENUE

PROCEEDINGS.

No. 1454-60
31.

Asking for information regarding re-selling rates of toddy.

ysore Government Press, Bangalore.—6-6-84.—75.

Proceedings of the Dewan to His Highness the Maharaja of Mysore, (Rveenue),—dated 3rd June 1884.

READ—

Letters from Messrs. Davy, Muddappa & Co., Toddy Contractors, dated 24th November 1883, 19th December 1883 and 27th March 1884, regarding the retail selling rates of toddy.

No. 1454-60—31, DATED 3RD JUNE 1884.

ORDER THEREON.—As the sale of toddy is a monopoly, it is necessary in principle that Government should fix a maximum price so as to protect the consumer from the demand of excessive prices. It is stated by Messrs. Davy, Muddappa & Co. that the actual selling prices now vary beyond the maxima and minima rates fixed by contract. This is objectionable, but, at the same time, the Dewan has no doubt that the actual rates prevailing are in themselves fair and proper. Messrs. Davy, Muddappa & Co. will under these circumstances be requested at once to specify the various mámúl rates which prevail. On receipt of this information, the maxima and minima rates will be so fixed as to cover all existing mámúl rates which may appear unobjectionable.

2. As regards the Town of Mysore, the lower price fixed for the benefit of bakers is cancelled, but sales to bakers should be strictly within the maximum and minimum rates fixed for that town.

3. As the toddy revenue of the Civil and Military Station of Bangalore has to be paid to the Resident's Treasury, his sanction has been requested for the introduction of a similar arrangement into the Station and this will be done immediately.

R. VIJAYINDRA RAO,
Secretary.

To—Messrs. Davy, Muddappa & Co., Toddy Contractors, Bangalore.

Copy to Deputy Commissioners for information.

No 525
1/1

From

Secretary Dept

24-11-84

To Subah

SECTION Mesrs Diary and dispatch
FILE No. 2(1883-84) Secretary Contracts
SERIAL No. 9

The Dewan

to H.H. the Maharaja of

Mysore

Rec'd 26/12

In compliance with the request contained in your proceedings No 1454-60/31 of the 3rd June 1884 regarding the various annual rates at which Toddy is sold in different localities we now beg to have the honor to enclose a detailed Statement showing what the rates are in each particular shop where it in any way varies from those laid down in the license, with remarks giving the reasons why such variation exists.

In laying this information before you for your orders we think it only reasonable that the prices ruling in any particular shop should be regulated according to circumstances, for as will be seen from the list, some shops are far distant from the Topes and in some cases the difficulties of transport are great owing to the nature of the Country, and sometimes the supplies are altogether stopped for days. Again where there are shops adjacent to Kasabas, and

and also near to the city of Jeypore, the Rates ruling in them must correspond with those ruling in the Kasabas and Jeypore or they will undersell them.

We should at the same time state that at Jatras and other Festivals it has always been the custom to allow Special Rates, and as a Special License in each case has to be obtained the Maximum Rates in these cases should be specified in the license so as to prevent the risk of the vendors being prosecuted for selling at unauthorised Rates.

We venture to think that if a Minimum Price only were fixed it would meet the case. We beg to have the honor to request we may be favoured with early instruction on these points for as things at present stand the vendors run continual risk of being prosecuted for breach of rules through no fault of theirs as the Rates have in most cases been fixed, probably in the time of their forefathers.

We have the honor to be
Sir
your most obt Servants

Jeypore
21st November
1884

Dary Mookapparo

1884

From

Augustus Denny Lumber Co. to Albany Contractors

Dated 21st November.

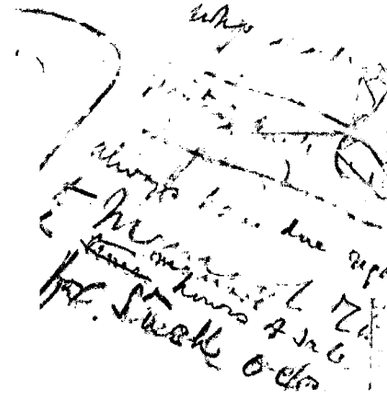
No. 25.

Submits a detailed statement showing what the sales are in each particular but shows where it in any way varies from those laid down in the licence

2 Do Square Yards
2 Do do
2 Do Lineal Yards

Name of Taluk	Name of Shop	Manual Ratio	License Ratio.	
ypur Taluk	Hasakalla	7 to 8 pies per seer		his person. This shop being very near the 6 " ja selling at 6 pies per seer all people causing no much loss by reduce
erringapatam	Palahalli	8 to 9 pies per seer	4 to 6	This shop formerly a kasaba therefore an 8 to 9
—	Kalastavadi	do	do	do manual ratio
	Sultanpet	do	do	do
	Pachimavahini	do	do	Toddy grows are 12 or 15 miles distan
	Fort	do	do	shops which are situated by the side of
	Kabinabara	do	do	do
	Ganjam	do	do	do
	Kirungoor	do	do	do
	Wardongeppa	do	do	do
	Hirodda	do	do	do.
alandoor	Jagara	6 to 9 pies	" — " — 6	Toddy is supplied to these 7 shops from a distance of 20 or 25 Miles viz Chamarajanagar, The cost of transit is very high so the selling rate is 6 to 9 pies per seer also during rainy Season when the streams Communication
	Mambali			
	Jalaymalla			
	Katnkatta			

	Kosoom		are kept Open.
	Mayjagale		
Haggadadamankatta			
	Saragura	6 to 8 pies	6 Toddy has to be supplied from a long distance. As the rivers
	Madahalli		are in full in the Rainy Season supplies are often
	Mataharra		cut off for days together so the selling Rate are 8 to
	Lagura		10 per Seer in order to recover the loss.
	Kithura		
	Maralli		
	Maga		
	Nisana		
	Balathura		
	Anthavanka		
	Na		
	Yalamatura		
	Karapura		
Immasoor			
Periyapatam	Periapatan	6 to 9 pies 4 to	6 Formerly Periyapatam & Battadapur were both Kasaba
Batadapur	Betadapur		so the prices have always been from 6 to 9 pies per seer.
	Kalabatta	6 to 8 pies	6 These shops are very near to Kasaba so the prices
	Dasavanakuppa		fixed from 6 to 8 pies per seer at the time are likewise
	Thallakara		be near to 8 to 6 to the Kasaba



	Avarthikote 10 pies	— " — 6	This shop lies } the boundary of Coorg
	Kamarahalli	do	the Toddy being } supplied from a great dis
	Chamarajpatkote	do	x cart hire being very heavy Toddy is dear
	Kanakalu	do	10 pies per seer
	Sullakatta	do	
Heera	Basavapatna 8 to 10 pies	do	The Toddy for these shops has to be brought from a great distance,
	Ramanathapur 8 pies	"	there being many streams & nullahs the Communication in
	Kunnoor 8 pies to 1 anna		parts are often cut off for many days together during the rainy
	Kutapur	"	& the price of Toddy has been fixed at from 8 to 10 pies per seer in

to recompense some of the losses sustained during the wet season

Fairies and other Festivals when Considerable quantities of Toddy has to be brou
me great distances special rates have always been allowed, and these rates
ould be specified in the license - Special licenses have always to be
plied for on these occasions.

D M R/o

PS. All other shops not mentioned in this list sell at the rates laid
down in the licenses. D M R/o.

Mysore
1st November
1884

(General Serial No. 31.)

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From

Messrs Davey Lundgaard & Co.

SECTION S.P.Co.

FILE NO. 2-1883-84.

SERIAL NO. 10.

Dated 13th December.

Despatched

Received 1

Enclosures No.

General No. 539
No.

Soliciting early instructions regarding the manual rates at which tasks is sold.

No 539

From Messrs Davey Brothers Appointed Govt Military Contractors

(15)

To

The Dewan
to H.H. the Maharajah
Mysore

Sir

We beg to have the honor to refer to our letter No 525 dated 21st of the 21st November last regarding the Mamul rates at which Toddy is sold by the Vendors in various places in this District, and we most respectfully request we may be favoured with your instructions regarding them as soon as possible, as the Vendors are, at present, in many cases running the risk of prosecution for selling according to Mamul, which does not correspond with the rates laid down in their licenses.

We have the honor to be
Sir
Your most obdt servants

Mysore
13th December 1884

Davey Brothers

№ 547.

From

Messrs Davy Muddappa & Co
Govt Abkary Contractors

The Dewan

SECTION S. 92 to 94 & 96

FILE NO. 2-1885-84

SERIAL No. 11

The Maharajah of
Mysore

Sir

We beg to have the honor to refer to our letter
not cond
№ 525 of the 21st November and reminder № 539 of
the 13th Dec 1884 regarding the various rates at
which toddy is sold in different parts of this District
and most respectfully request we may be
favoured with your Orders at an early date
as we have refrained from issuing licences
to those shops where the Dewan rate differ
from those laid down in the licenses fearing
the Police may prosecute the vendors for
selling at unauthorised rates. These vendors
are of Course provided with temporary licenses
issued by us, but these must be substituted
by those issued by the Deputy Commissioner
within a reasonable time.

We have the honor to be
Sir
your Most obdt Servants

Davy Muddappa & Co

Mysore
3rd January
1885

From

Messrs Davy Lund & Co

Dated 3rd January 85

No. 547.

Soliciting early orders on their letter No. 5 of 21st November last. & the rates at which Tea is sold in different parts of the District

From

Messrs Davy Anderson
Govt Notary Contractors

To

SECTION 5 (2)
FILE No. 2-185 Pt I Delvan
SERIAL No. 12 - to A H the Maha Rajah

Mysore

Sir

Referring to our letter No. 525 of the 21st
8758
November last regarding the various rates at
which toddy is sold in different localities we
now beg to have the honor to submit a corrected
list in which the Shops are mentioned under
the selling rate does not correspond with that
laid down in the license. The remarks
you were good enough to make on the original
list herewith enclosed were as follows: —

"Two Special Rates for Villages exceptional
"situated as per list viz: —

6 to 9 pice
6 to 10 pice

"Provided always Licenses for Jains and
"Jatries will contain such Special Rates
"as may be applied for by the Contractors
"and as may appear unobjectionable to the
"Deputy Commissioner who should in
"granting such licenses always have due
"regard to Maximum Rates and Revenue

I am now ready for the necessary
The list herewith submitted is the same
that was prepared which has been pending
the past year, but there are many alterations
which for various reasons have not
been passed and are lying by, and
we would now beg that the Deputy Commrs
be empowered to adjust the rates of such shops
when requested to do so, in the interval
between, you for those at present open as per
attached list accompanying list.

I am Sir
Your most obedient Servant

Ajmere
16th March
1885

Laz Hospital

License rates

	Price per diem	
	Maximum	Minimum
	Rs. a. p.	Rs. a. p.
In the town of Ajmere,	" 1 "	" " 8
In Cantonments	" " 9	" " 6
In Villages	" " 6	" " 4

Siam

Ricevo Banconote [illegible]

Cambiar [illegible]

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List of Toddy Shops where the Arrack rates do not Correspond with those laid down in the Licenses.

No.	Name of Taluks	Name of Toddy Shops	Annual Rates	License Rates.
1	Mysore Taluk	✓ Hosakolla	6 to 8 pice	4 to 6 pice
2	Hagadadavanakatte	✓ Saragooru	6 to 8 pice	Do.
		✓ Kura	Do	Do.
		✓ Matikara	Do	Do
		✓ Sagara	Do	Do
		✓ Kithuru	Do	"
		✓ Marali	Do	"
		✓ Maga	Do	"
		✓ Kisanahalakuru	Do	"
		✓ Arekharsanka	Do	"
		✓ Naralla	Do	"
		✓ Yallanakatta	Do	"
		✓ Karapura	Do	"
3	Yadathore Taluk	Badarahalli	6 to 9 pice	"
		✓ Kasthuru	6 to 8 pice	"
		Konanoor	8 to 10 pice	"
		Kamanahapur	8 to 10 pice	"
		Katapur	6 to 9 pice	"

		Gangurd Nathali	Do
		Bavavapadna	8 & 10 pie
		Karlapura	6 & 8 pie
		Haradanahalli	Do
		Ballura	Do
		Saligrama	Do
		Maralie	Do
		Gavadagera	Do
		Hanavoga	Do
4	Hunasoor	Bamkuppa	& 8 pie
		Kattamallanadi	Do
		Kalla Batta	Do
		Kattahara	Do
		Hannanahalli	Do
		Hanagodu	Do
		Habura	Do
		Bellihara	Do
5	Coryapatan District	Krasankotta	& 8 pie
		Vayakotta	Do
		Chittanahalli	Do
		Kamplapura	Do
		Anachowkura	8 & 10 pie
		Panchavalli	& 9 pie
		Mukkura	Do

	√ Chillakunda Gone Short	8 6 8 pie	4 6 6 pie
	√ Attikuppa	Do	"
	√ Sathagalla	Do	"
	Avarkhikotte	1 anna	"
Battadapur Pattah	√ Battadapur	6 6 8 pie	"
	√ Attigoo Dudasta	Do	"
	√ Kannakovalle	Do	"
	√ Sullakatta	Do	"
	√ Chamarayankatta	Do	"
	√ Kannagalla	Do	"
Cullurungapattan Talk	Pallahalli	6 6 8 pie	"
	√ Sultanpett	Do	"
	√ Sachumavalichi	Do	"
	√ Kabbenabara	Do	"
	√ Gangam	Do	"
	√ Kirangoor	Do	"
	√ Darasakuppa	Do	"
	√ Kiroda	Do	"
	√ Sattahalli	Do	"
Hyallanaboor Talk	Agrahara	Do	"
	√ Manballi	Do	"
	Hollakara	Do	"

SECTION S & R

FILE NO. 2 Read :—

SERIAL No. 13

Proceedings No 1454-60 dy. 31

3rd June 1884, asking for information regarding the retail selling rates of Toddy.

Letters Nos. 525 and 577 dated 21st November 1884 and 16th March 1885 from Messrs Davy Nooddappa and Co., Toddy Contractors of the Mysore District, forwarding a list of villages in the Mysore District in which the actual selling rates of Toddy differ from those mentioned in the licence

Camp No. 1443-5 dt Mysore 17.11.85

Order thereon :—

With reference to Clause XII of Notification No. 67 dated 27th March 83, the following maximum special rates of selling prices of Toddy are sanctioned for the undermentioned villages in the Mysore District—

The rates calling for Toddy under the Mysore Excise Notification

Taluk —	Name of Village	Special maximum rate sanctioned —
Mysore —	Hosakolla	
Heggadadevankoté —	Sargúr	
	Pura	
	Malikara	
	Sáyara	
	Kithúrú	
	Marali	
	Maya	
	Nivana balathuru	8 pies per seer.
	Antarsanté	
	Naralla	
	Yellankoté	
	Kárapura	
Yedatore Taluk —	Kesthúru	
	Narlapura	
	Haradévakalli	
	Ballúru —	
	Salígrama	
	Marali	
	Gavadagéré	
	Kamagéré	
Hunsur Taluk —	Bannikoppa	
	Kattémalavadi	
	Kallubetta	
	Thattakara	
	Hannankalli	
	Hanagodé	
	Habburu	
	Balli Kara —	
	Imavantoté	
	Pyajikote	
	Chittanhalli	
	Kamalapura	

Krishnarajpet Tk (contd) Chikkinayakanahalli
Gp wise shop.

Attikuppa
Sathgalla
Bettadpur
Abbigodu Sante
Kamaravalli
Sullakatta
Chamarayankota
Kannayala —

8 pies per seer.

Seringapatam Tk

Palhalli —
Sultanpett —
Paschimavahini
Kabbinabare
Ganjam.
Kirangur —
Daravakuppe
Hirode
Settihalli

Yelandur Taluk

Agrahara
Mamballi
Hollakara.
Hallikara —

Yedatore Taluk

Byadarahalli
Konanur
Ramnathpur
Katapur
Sangura Mathaki
Basavapatna —

10 pies per seer.

Hunsur Taluk — Anéchankuir — Panchavalli Muthénu Avanthikoté } 10 pies per seer.

Provided always that the Licenses for fairs and Jathras will contain such special rates as may be applied for by the Contractors and as may appear unobjectionable to the Dy. Commissioner, who should, in granting such licenses, always have due regard to Manool rates and Manool hours of sale for such occasions —

Seal.

To the Dy. Com. Mysore District.
" Asst. Sub Dy. Commr. Hunsur Roads
" Tahsildar " Davey Nundappa & Co,
Toddy Contractors.
Mysore.

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MYSORE GAZETTE.

EXTRAORDINARY.

Published by Authority.

BANGALORE, THURSDAY, MARCH 29, 1883.

Notifications by the Dewan to His Highness the Maha Raja of Mysore.

GENERAL.

The 27th March 1883.

No. 87—Whereas the contract entered into with Messrs. Davy, Muddappa & Co. for the exclusive privilege of selling toddy within the Mysore District for 3 years from 1st April 1881 to 31st March 1884, has been cancelled by the Dewan as regards a period of 11 months from 1st May 1883 to 31st March 1884, and whereas it is expedient that in lieu of selling the lease for the 11 months from 1st May 1883 to 31st March 1884, tenders should be invited for a period of 3 years and 11 months from 1st May 1883 to 31st March 1887, the following Notification is published for general information.

NOTIFICATION.

Tenders are hereby invited for the exclusive privilege of selling toddy during a period of 3 years and 11 months, *viz.* from 1st May 1883 to 31st March 1887, within the undermentioned Taluks of the Mysore District, namely :—

1. Mysore Taluk.
2. Séringapatam Taluk, including the Island.
3. Tirumakudlu Narsipúr (Old Talkad) Taluk.
4. Mandya Taluk.
5. Yedatore Taluk.
6. Hunsúr Taluk.
7. Heggaddevankote Taluk.
8. Chamrajnagar Taluk.
9. Gundlupet Taluk.
10. Nanjangúd Taluk.
11. Yelandur Taluk.

2. Each tender must specify the annual amount offered and must be accompanied by a deposit of Rs. 1,000 in cash or Government securities and enclosed in a cover superscribed with the words "Tender for the exclusive privilege of selling toddy in the Mysore District."

3. The tenders must be delivered at the Office of the Deputy Commissioner, Mysore District, on or before noon on the 10th April 1883, when they will be opened in the presence of the applicants. The applicant whose tender may be selected by the Deputy Commissioner for recommendation to the Dewan, will be required to deposit at once, in cash or in Government securities, a further sum equal to one-twelfth (or one month's instalment) of the amount of the annual rent tendered, failing which the deposit made with the tender will be forfeited.

4. When the decision of the Dewan is announced, the deposits made by applicants whose tenders have been rejected will be thereupon returned to them on their application. The Dewan reserves to himself the power of rejecting the highest or any tender without assigning any reason.

5. The party whose tender may be accepted shall, within 8 days after the Dewan's decision has been communicated to him, deposit with the Deputy Commissioner, a sum in cash or Government securities duly endorsed, which, with the sums previously deposited under para 3, shall be equal to one-fourth of the amount of the annual rent tendered and shall execute an agreement in the usual form on proper stamp, binding himself to conform to the conditions hereinafter set forth; and if he fails or refuses to sign the agreement, or to make the deposit required, the deposits already made will be forfeited to Government, and the lease otherwise disposed of.

Conditions.

I. The annual contract amount shall be paid by equal monthly instalments together with the prescribed local cess of one anna on every rupee, computed on such contract amount, into the District Treasury, on or before the 15th of the month following that for which the payment is due; and interest at the rate of 6 per cent per annum shall be paid on all arrears left outstanding on that date. Such arrears shall, if they remain unpaid after the lapse of the month in which they are payable, be recoverable by attachment and sale of the property of the lessee in the manner prescribed by existing rules for the recovery of arrears of land revenue and it shall be at the discretion of the Deputy Commissioner with the sanction of the Dewan to declare the lease cancelled, and to resell or retain it under Government management and to recover all outstanding arrears with interest and any losses which may result from such resale or disposal of the contract, by confiscation of the security deposited, and, if necessary, by attachment and sale of the property of the defaulter, under the rules in force for the recovery of arrears of land revenue.

Note.—The aggregate contract amount payable for the 11 months from 1st May 1883 to 31st March 1884 will be only $\frac{11}{12}$ths of the annual contract amount tendered.

II. The usual licenses to retail vendors will be issued by the Deputy Commissioner, and no alteration shall be made by the lessee in the locality or number of the retail shops now opened for sale of toddy, without the express sanction of the Deputy Commissioner. The Deputy Commissioner is competent to order any shops to be closed on grounds of public expediency.

III. Grain, goods, ornaments, wearing apparel or other property should not be received in barter or pawn for toddy.

IV. The lessee shall conform to any additional rules which may be prescribed from time to time by the Dewan.

V. No interference shall be made by the lessee with the rights, as already ascertained and defined, of the holders of jodi, sarvamanyam and kayamgutta villages who are authorized by the sannad, &c. to exercise such rights within the limits of their villages. Disputes regarding such rights will be decided by the Deputy Commissioner and the lessee shall be bound by such decision, which shall be subject however to the confirmation or otherwise, on appeal, of the Dewan.

VI. No toddy shops shall be opened before 6 A. M., and all shops shall be closed at 9 P. M., except when otherwise authorized by the Deputy Commissioner.

VII. All shops for the sale of toddy on or adjacent to the line of march shall be closed while a Regiment or Detachment of European soldiers is passing by or during its temporary halt in the vicinity, and no compensation shall be claimable for loss alleged to have occurred or to have been occasioned thereby, and it shall be lawful for such troops to have their own abkari contractor.

VIII. The lessee will be allowed the use of the date trees growing on Government waste land for the extraction of toddy either for sale within the limits of his farm, or for manufacture into jaggory, but he will have no claims to date trees situated in lands which are now or

may hereafter be occupied for cultivation or for other purposes, nor to compensation on account of any date trees or topes which the Government may, at any time, consider necessary to reserve for other purposes, or for the supply of toddy to other Districts. The manufacture of jaggory will be carried on only in such localities and under such conditions as the Deputy Commissioner may fix from time to time.

IX. The lessee will have no claims to compensation or remission on account of any arrangements which may be made by Government in regard to beer or other descriptions of liquor or spirit than toddy. The Dewan reserves to himself the power to terminate the lease as regards any parts of the District on public grounds, awarding a reasonable compensation for the same.

X. No toddy shall be knowingly sold or given to any European soldier, sailor, European or Eurasian woman or child, or to a sepoy or policeman when on duty, and any breach of this rule shall render the lessee or the vendor severally or jointly liable to the payment of a penalty of Rs. 50 for the first offence, and one-hundred rupees for every subsequent offence, as well as for the cancelment of the vendor's license.

XI. The lessee shall be responsible that his servants or agents are prevented from extracting toddy from young immature date trees the trunks of which are less than one yard in height from the ground to the springing of branches, nor shall any leaves be cut and used by them except such as may have to removed for the purpose of drawing toddy; and any breach of these rules shall render the lessee liable to the payment of a penalty of Rs. 50 for the first offence, and Rs. 100 every subsequent offence.

XII. The rates at which toddy shall be sold to the public and bakers shall be, as follows :—

	Prices per Seer.						Fixed Price per seer to Bakers.		
	Maximum.			Minimum.					
	Rs.	A.	P.	Rs.	A.	P.	Rs.	A.	P.
In the Town of Mysore	0	1	0	0	0	8	0	0	5
In Kasbas of Taluks	0	0	9	0	0	6	..	..	..
In Villages	0	0	6	0	0	4	..	..	..

6. Information in regard to the past revenue and other matters can be had on application at the Deputy Commissioner's Office.

By Order,

R. VIJAYINDRA RAO,
Secretary.

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